Docket No.: 102258.346US1

PATENT

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of

David S. GARVEY et al.

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Group Art Unit: 1639

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Examiner: Bennett M. Celsa

NITROSATED AND NITROSYLATED ALPHA-ADRENERGIC RECEPTOR For: ANTAGONIST COMPOUNDS, COMPOSITIONS AND THEIR USES

PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

Honorable Commissioner for Patents Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

Applicant petitions the Commissioner for Patents to extend the time for response to the Office Action dated March 30, 2004 for three months, from June 30, 2004 to September 30, 2004.

Please charge the \$475.00 fee to cover the cost of the extension to Deposit Account No. 08-0219. Any deficiency or overpayment should be charged or credited to Deposit Account No. 08-0219.

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